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AFTER HOLIDAY JOYS

Where Prominent Officials Will Feast.

THE CAPITOL WILL BE QUIET

President-elect Cleveland the Recipient of a Beautiful Gold-Headed Cane.

WASHINGTON, December 24.—Holiday this year will be unusually quiet in official circles, there being no indication among the families of cabinet officers to make any display, in view of the gloom that envelopes the White House, and there will be no dinner parties aside from those composing members of families and visitors.

Vice President Morton will have with him three of his daughters.

Secretary of State and Mrs. Foster have with them Mrs. Foster's mother brother, Mr. and Mrs. McPherson of Evansville, and a few other guests.

Secretary of the Treasury Foster has gone to Fostoria, where he will eat Christmas dinner with his daughters.

Secretary and Mrs. Elkins have a house full of children for the holidays.

Attorney General and Mrs. Miller will have their family increased by their new daughter-in-law and Miss Miller's fiance.

Postmaster General and Mrs. Wanamaker will spend Christmas at Lindenhurst, their country place near Philadelphia, where they will have a family gathering.

Secretary Tracy will dine with his daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. and Miss Wilmerding.

Secretary and Mrs. Noble will have several friends who are in Washington dine with them.

Secretary and Mrs. Rusk will dine with their son and daughter.

A Christmas Caning.

NEW YORK, December 24.—Christmas came to President-elect Cleveland today in various forms, but there was one thing which was rather expected and which he got.

Rev. Father Kessel, of the Church of the Holy Redeemer, State Senator George F. Roesche and Henry W. Wolf, waited upon him today and without any preface presented to him a beautiful gold headed cane which had been voted to him at a fair held by Father Kessel's congregation some time previous to the election.

The presentation committee, without any formality, explained to Mr. Cleveland that the cane had been voted to him as being the most popular presidential candidate, and gave the handsome stick into his hands. The president-elect responded in a few words and the episode was concluded. Merry Christmas wishes were exchanged and the committee retired.

Hypnotism a Crime.

WASHINGTON, December 24.—One of those peculiar bills that occasionally find their way into congress has been introduced by Mitchell in the senate. Its elaborate title provides for the prohibition of electro-magnetism, mesmerism and hypnotizing human beings, etc., and prescribes punishment for the provisions of the act. Numerous petitions and documents accompany the bill, and others equally voluminous are referred to. The bill, in brief, provides that any person who, anywhere within the jurisdiction of the United States, shall apply a force of animal magnetism or electricity upon his person for the purpose of affecting another, or which does so affect him, shall be guilty of a crime punishable by death, and that any person having a knowledge of such current having been applied, who fails to notify the proper authorities, shall be deemed an accessory, and punished by a fine of not less than $5000, nor more than $20,000, or by imprisonment, ranging from two years to the period of one's natural life.

A Case of Work.

CHICAGO, December 24.—Mrs. Kate Stege of San Francisco alleges in a circuit court bill filed today that Diedrich A. Stege promised to give her $15,000 on condition that she married him, and now that the ceremony is over he is accused of attempting to defraud her out of the money. Mrs. Stege says she was a widow, and in consideration that she would marry Stege, he assigned to her on October 5th last a certificate for $7000, the sum of $3000 and a note for $5000, all in the possession of Charles Join & Co. of Chicago. The assignment recited the consideration to be for love, better protection and promise of marriage. By reason of this arrangement they were married October 22d and lived together in San Francisco until November 11th, when Stege abandoned her and came to Chicago, when his wife forwarded the assignment here and had it recorded November 16th. She has applied to Charles Join for the property, but he declines to deliver it up, alleging that his son had a claim on the deposits and he would not give it up until the court had adjudicated the matter.

Mrs. Stege says the assignment was made to her without solicitation, of his own free will. The court is asked to declare the property as belonging to the complaint and to restrain any disposition of it.

The Homestead Poisoning.

UNIONTOWN, December 24.—J. T. Crawford, president of the famous Homestead advisory board, in speaking of the alleged poisoning of non-union men, said the water at Homestead was bad and makes everybody sick before they become accustomed to it. He declares the story of poisoning is trumped up to aid the suits.

The Northern Blockade Raised.

PORTLAND, December 24.—The situation this morning on the railroads is practically unchanged. No further fall of snow is reported. Northern Pacific and Southern Pacific trains are running with but slight delay. There is a temporary blockade on the Union Pacific. No attempt is being made to move any freight trains.

The Pacific Mail Ahead.

NEW YORK, December 24.—The Pacific Mail is strengthened by Judge Ingram's decision, rendered this morning, which continues the injunction restraining the Panama railroad from making any contracts with another steamship company outside of the Pacific Mail.

Coated With Ice.

NEW YORK, December 24.—Incoming vessels are heavily coated with ice and report the seas as rough. The weather is very cold and bad. The thermometer ranges 9 above zero here, and a searching wind makes it colder.

A CARING.

The Republican Chapel Gave One to the Editor.

Last evening, just as THE REPUBLICAN printers were about to take up their sticks, Colonel Patrick H. Hurley, president of the chapel, requested J. W. Short, the managing editor, to step into the composing room and settle a mooted question regarding some corrections on a proof.

When Mr. Short walked up to the galley Mr. Hurley, who is an old soldier, glared ferociously at him, and without a moment's warning drew a gold headed, ebony walking stick which he had concealed in the folds of his surtout.

Before allowing his victim time to expostulate or otherwise defend himself Mr. Hurley struck—an attitude and proceeded to say that THE REPUBLICAN compositors had selected him to present the cane to Mr. Short as a token of their regard and esteem for a fellow craftsman who had successfully mounted the editorial ladder.

Mr. Short responded feelingly—fooling for the cane, and after a brief pause, groping in the dark as it were for the truth, remarked that he appreciated the fact that the compositors when they swore at his copy did so in a suppressed, unostentatious and gentlemanly manner. He followed with a compliment to the craft, of which he had been a member in the days when the unfortunate errors in a "take" saddled the correction of the whole galley upon him.

He added that the cane was the fattest take that he had ever received since he left the case for the editorial chair.

The head of the cane bears the inscription: "J. W. Short; from REPUBLICAN Chapel, Christmas, 1892." At 3 o'clock this morning Mr. Short banqueted the compositors and the editorial and local staff in Mitrovich's restaurant.

Slowly Improving.

WASHINGTON, December 24.—Blaine was reported by Johnston tonight to have passed the best day he has had for some time past. Dr. Johnston paid his usual 2 o'clock visit and finding Blaine's condition so satisfactory he did not make his last visit for the day until 10 o'clock this evening, when he found no particular change in his patients condition. At a late hour tonight the lights on the second floor were dimly burning and it was evident that the family had retired early.

An Ocean Race.

NEW YORK, December 24.—The Etruria of the Cunard line has beaten the City of Paris of the Inman line in a race across the ocean. The Etruria passed Old Head Kinsale at 8.50 and the City of Paris at 8.45.

SAN JOSE FLOODED.

HER STREETS FILLED WITH RUSHING WATERS.

Many Families Driven from Their Homes to Seek Places of Safety.

SAN JOSE, December 24.—As a result of the severe storm of Friday night San Jose was visited today with a repetition of the flood of three years ago.

About 10.30 a.m. Guadalupe and Los Gatos creeks broke the banks in several places. In the city limits in the southern part of town, and nearly all the streets near Guadalupe were overflowed from six inches to four feet in depth.

At Santa Clara and Creek streets a swift current ran over bridges and water reached Santa Teresa street. Along the vicinity of the creek were forced to move from houses on the Monterey road.

The water extended south to the cemetery, and north to Willows street, being in many places five feet deep on first street.

Our traffic has been stopped below Willows street since 10 o'clock this morning.

The entire country east of Guadalupe creek and north of town is under water.

At Hobson street water rushed over the banks in torrents and soon flooded the Ryland and Younger farms. Woolen Mills and Heinlenville Chinatown are almost completely surrounded.

Shortly before noon the creeks subsided somewhat. About 4 o'clock they against raised but soon receded, and no further danger is feared at present, as they are now eight below high water mark.

KINGSBURG.

Society News and a Very Important Inquiry.

The Sunday-school, in conjunction with the public school, will give a Christmas entertainment in the Methodist church this evening. The time-honored Christmas tree will be dispensed with, and a "snow house," to contain the presents, will be substituted.

The action of the board of supervisors in giving us a judicial township all to ourselves was a judicious proceeding, and meets with the approval of every one in this locality. According to the present boundaries, we would have been without a constable or justice during the next two years, our more important neighbor on the north, Selma, having appropriated both of those offices.

Three families arrived here from Iowa during the last week, to reside permanently.

Supervisor T. C. White is here today, looking after the interests of the Emigrant Ditch company.

Query—In case of the death of both governor and lieutenant governor, how would their successors be appointed—by the Triangle or Board of Supervisors?

KINGSBURGER.

The B & M's.

The B & M's will give a literary entertainment next Tuesday evening in the kindergarten on O street. The farce of "A Box of Monkeys" will be presented. A large number of invitations have been issued and the affair will be well attended. There will also be a literary and musical program.

The boomerang throwers will exhibit this afternoon, rain or shine.

DR. TYNAN DISCOVERED

The Missing Modesto Capitalist

IS LOCATED IN NEW YORK.

He Writes a Letter to an Old Friend of the Family, Who Tells About It.

MODESTO, December 24.—A letter has been published here from Dr. Thomas Tynan, a wealthy rancher and hotel owner of this place, who disappeared from San Francisco mysteriously a few months ago.

Immediately after his disappearance conjectures of foul play were freely indulged in, and Captain Lees of the San Francisco detective agency was given the task of tracing him up.

The captain found that he had gone east and traced him to some point in New York beyond which he could secure no knowledge. It was understood that domestic trouble led to his departure. After a sub rosa experience of about two months the doctor's whereabouts are given in a letter written to Mrs. Adams of Modesto, an old lady who has been intimate with the family for years.

Dr. Tynan writes from a town in Maine, name not given, where he is in poor health, and is stopping with a man who was the former foreman of his Modesto ranch.

He makes no statement as to when he may return to California. The Doctor is reported to be worth $500,000, consisting of ranch property, bank account and a hotel in Modesto.

Moore Pleads Not Guilty.

Clark Moore, who was arrested some time since on three indictments for lending aid and comfort to Evans and Sontag, plead not guilty to each charge before Judge Holmes yesterday. The time for his trial has not yet been set.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Dr. Yancey, eclectic physician, has removed his office to 1040 I street, over City Bakery.

A valuable horse belonging to Wood & Dorsey, wood and coal dealers ran away from the depot last night and was found dead this morning at 2 o'clock in front of the Popular Drug store by Policemen Smith and Elgan. The animal's body was cut and torn.

Christmas services in the Lutheran church on Elm avenue today at 10 o'clock, and in the South Methodist church, corner L and Fresno street, at 4, both services in the Danish language. Christmas tree in the church on Elm avenue tomorrow at 1 o'clock.

Our Savior's Danish Lutheran congregation will celebrate Christmas with divine services in their church on Elm avenue on Christmas Day at 10 o'clock, and with a Christmas tree on the 26th at 1 o'clock p.m. There will also be Lutheran services in the Methodist Church South, corner of L and Fresno streets, on Christmas Day at 4 p.m.

PERSONAL.

Captain T. J. May left for San Francisco this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright D. Brooks are now residing at 1437 J street.

Dr. W. Curaton of Fresno Flats is spending Christmas in this city.

Mrs. S. R. Hart and son left yesterday for Colusa to spend the holidays with relatives.

C. J. Whitten, the undertaker, who has been sick recently, is able to be about again.

Supervisor Jake Myer was born on Christmas. That probably accounts for his being a thoroughbred.

Policeman Babcock, who had been confined to his room for several days with a sprained ankle, has resumed his duties.

Dr. Eli F. Brown, superintendent of schools of Riverside, arrived at Fresno yesterday afternoon, and will attend the Teachers' association.

A. E. Shoemaker and family of Fowler start on Monday, December 26th, for LeRoy, Kan., for a six months' visit among friends and relatives.

Charles Glass came down from Stockton last night to spend Christmas with his brother, William Glass, business manager of THE REPUBLICAN.

A. Harris, a prominent resident of Fowler, came up on the train yesterday and reports his vicinity to be in a flourishing condition and thankful for the downpour of rain.

Leo Fleishman, for several years manager of the men's department of the great New York shoe house of A. J. Cammeyer, is permanently located in Fresno at the Plymouth Rock boot and shoe store.

Among the recent arrivals in Fresno is Dr. W. P. Sawyer of Buffalo, N. Y., who has come to California to spend the winter and probably to make this his future home. He is now stopping with his cousin, G. R. Taylor, at the Taylor vineyard.

PRIZE MEAT.

A Pretty Display at the Capital Market.

Christmas time brings many attractive displays at the stores, but few that are really so enjoyable as the choice sides of beef, mutton and pork, handsomely decorated and artistically carved which could be seen yesterday at the Capital Market on J street, north of Mariposa. People stopped during the afternoon and evening to admire the work of Messrs. Stier & Flannigan who did the carving and decorating. A twenty-five pound turkey was among the choice things on exhibition.

Mr. Ball explained that the prize meat displayed is precisely the same as that carved on his block and sold every day to customers of the Capital Market.

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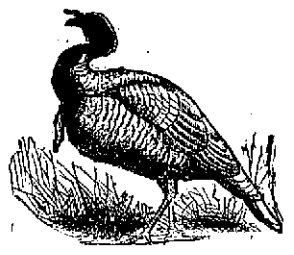
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Out of your abundance give something to the poor.

THE REPUBLICAN wishes everybody a merry Christmas and plenty of it.

IF they have any sockless statesmen over in France now is the time for them to jump into that blooming field of politics with a new party.

THE "American Crank" is the name of a new paper just started in Kansas. It will doubtless get several hundred thousand subscribers in that state alone.

THE Christmastide brings THE REPUBLICAN many things to cheer it on its way, first among which is the confidence and support of the people of this community.

SAN DIEGO people are just as mad as they can be about the report made by those government harbor experts, and propose to fight that San Pedro appropriation at every turn of the road.

AS NEAR as we can judge from the tone of the papers, the Examiner is opposed to the election of Stephen M. White as senator, and the Stockton Mail is inclined to favor that gentleman's ambition.

SAN FRANCISCO and vicinity appears to be getting rather more than its share of heavy winds this winter. The damage, however, is slight and the rattling of ramshackle buildings and dry bones may prove beneficial.

ALL things considered, it is too bad that the international monetary conference didn't discuss the Montana silver statue before closing its sessions. That is the biggest silver question now before the people of this country.

MANY of the European countries are preparing to send their views on immigration to the government of the United States. It is not too much to say that their views on immigration are rather more welcome just now than some of the immigration itself.

WASHINGTON and New York advices solemnly announce that "Murphy's election to the senate would be offensive to Cleveland." Seeing that senators all over the country are going to be selected strictly with a view to pleasing Mr. Cleveland, it would be a great saving of time and money to allow that distinguished person to name his preferences so that they might be indorsed by the legislatures without the unnecessary clawing and hair pulling which is at present characterizing the efforts at senator making.

THE continued peace of Europe has for the last twenty years been largely dependent upon the attitude of France and Germany. Now that France, through general political discontent and the Panama scandals, and Germany, through her army bill and the Loewe gun question, have both found sufficient domestic occupation, there is a reasonable presumption that the war spirit will be held in check for a season. It is becoming less and less likely that the next spring, or even the next fall, will witness war on European soil.

THERE is much difference between Christmas in this county and Christmas in the east. There Santa Claus has to wear snow shoes, while the pogonip and the cyclone whistle disrespectfully through his whiskers, and he often gets them singed while sliding down the chimney when the fire is crackling and roaring on the hearth. Santa Claus discards his sealskins and his fur caps and puts on his summer underclothing when he visits Fresno. He stops awhile at Reedley and appropriates a few branches of lemons from the orchards there, and then calls on the orange groves at Centerville and loads his basket with big oranges. On his way through the colonies he lingers by the wayside to pluck a few bouquets of roses and chrysanthemums, to put into the stockings of the chubby, red-cheeked children of Fresno. That's the kind of a Christmas that comes to the happy people of the San Joaquin valley.

THE London Times concluded a recent review of the political situation in this country as effecting British interests, as follows:

It will be seen from what is herein described that considerable delay must come before the McKinley law can be got at in congress for revision; and sound policy may incline the Democratic managers to even much more delay before the law is radically modified. British and continental manufacturers and merchants, therefore, may have to exercise patience before reaping the fruits of the recent Presidential election.

Yes, England will evidently have to exercise some patience before reaping the rich harvest of the Democratic victory. The seeds are sown, but they will have to pass through the mild warmth of the springtime session, the white heat of summer and the congressional hydraphobia of dog days before the ripened grain will be ready for the British reapers. The frigid temperature of Republican protection would at this time nip the sprouting germ of free trade if it so much as showed its head above the surface.

IN view of the growing probability of Manitoba's becoming a part of the United States along with the rest of Canada at no distant day, a recent report from the United States consul at Winnipeg acquires especial interest. Manitoba is afflicted with a very erratic climate and possessed of phenomenal wheat growing capabilities. These two characteristics combined to overwhelm the Manitoba farmer with disaster during the season of 1891. Crops were sown and grew to maturity under exceptionally favorable conditions. An immense acreage of wheat was put in, and the yield was such as to surprise even the natives, who regard as a miserable failure anything less than twice the average crop of the New York or New Jersey wheat growers. When harvest time came the entire labor of the region was found to be wholly inadequate for the task before it. The wheat straw had grown so tall and stout and was so heavily loaded down with grain as to make the work of reaping and stacking extremely exhausting. The strength and weight of the growing grain frequently broke the reaping machines, and as a consequence the work was delayed. While thousands of acres were yet ungathered and before the work of thrashing had fairly commenced winter was ushered in by a furious blizzard, which packed the stacks and shocks with snow and ice, rendering thrashing extremely difficult if not impossible. The intense cold rendered the shafts and wheels of the thrashing machines so brittle that they were constantly breaking. Thaws, rains and blizzards followed in succession. Efforts to save the grain had to be positively abandoned. The Pilot Mound Sentinel, a Manitoba journal, draws this moral from the season's misfortunes:

Had the farmers of Manitoba reaped, stacked and thrashed half the grain that grew on their farms last season and burned the remainder without cutting it, they would have been better off than they are by attempting to save the whole. In the efforts to gather an enormous harvest from immense fields some men killed themselves, others have been so broken down by excessive labor that they will suffer from their exertions all their lives, and in thousands of cases the whole work has been lost.

It appears from this, then, that we have only to be on our guard against the great fruitfulness of the soil when this magnificent wheat country comes under our dominion. With proper care to burn half the standing crop, when it grows threateningly large, instead of trying to save it all, Manitobaan wheat growers may live in prosperity, health and happiness. But the chances are that with a little Yankee energy, ingenuity and grit infused into the province, a way will be devised for gathering every spear that grows and turning it to the best account for the enrichment of the country.

CHURCH SERVICES.

FIRST BAPTIST—Corner J and Merced streets, R. G. DeWitt, D. D., pastor. Residence 1824 K street. Sunday school 9:45, Mrs. J. S. Eastwood superintendent. Sermons at 11 a. m.; subject, "Christmas Music from the Christmas Cantata;" 7:30, subject, "The Sisters World." Young People's meeting at 6:30. Baptism at night. Seats free, all welcome.

EMANUEL BAPTIST—Spinney Block, opposite Pleasanton hotel. Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching at 11 a.m. by Rev. I. D. Wood. Subject for morning service, "Glory, Peace; Good Will." Young People's meeting at 6:35 p.m. Subject, "Parables." Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Sorevic 11n the evening.

CONGREGATIONAL—Corner of K and Inyo streets. Rev. Ben F. Sargent pastor. Services at 11 and 7:30. Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Christian Endeavor at 6:15 p.m. In the morning the pastor will speak concerning "God's Great Xmas Gift." And in the evening will preach his farewell discourse.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Corner of Merced and K streets. T. D. Mather, pastor, residence 1610 I street. Preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. The music at both services will be exceptionally fine. Morning subject, "The Song the Angels Sang;" evening subject, "The Light of the World." Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

CHRISTIAN—Corner Mariposa and M streets, W. H. Martin pastor. Preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday school 9:35. Young people's meeting 6:15. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. Subjects of today's discourse: Morning, "The Value of Fragments;" evening, "Christ's Contribution to Humanity."

ST. JAMES EPISCOPAL—Corner Fresno and N streets. Rev. William Jacob, rector. Fourth Sunday in advent. Holy communion at 7:30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a.m. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30. Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. Christmas services of the Sunday school 7 p.m. At this service the children will present their gifts of toys for the children of the orphanages.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN—Corner K and Merced streets. Philo F. Phelps, pastor; residence 1719 I street. Morning theme, a Christmas sermon on "Jesus' Advent in the Home, and the Change He Has Wrought Therein." Evening topic, "A Special Christmas Praise Service" by the choir. Sabbath school at 9:30 a.m. Christian Endeavor society at 6:30 p.m. Boys' Brigade services at 5:50 p.m. Boy's Brigade drill at 7:15 p.m. Tuesday at Y.M.C.A. hall.

A. M. E. ZION—Corner E and Merced streets. Services at 11 a.m. Sunday school at 1 p.m. Services again at 7:30 p.m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. These services are held every Sunday. Come one. Come all. Rev. E. H. Brown.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH—Corner L and Fresno streets, Rev. T. H. B. Anderson D. D., pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Epworth League at 6:15 p.m. Sabbath school at 9:10 a.m. Subjects: Morning, "Christ the Desire of all Nations;" evening, "The Song of the Angels at the Nativity." Rev. Dr. Rosser of Virginia will preach at least once on Sunday.

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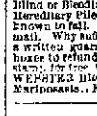
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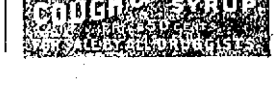
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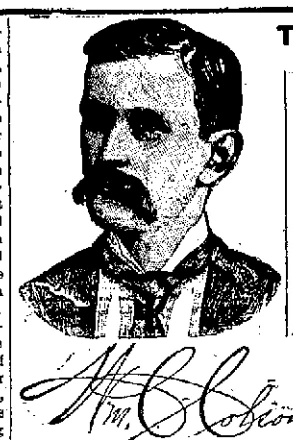
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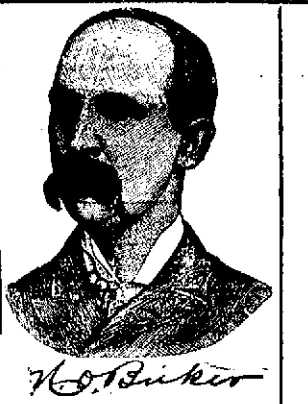
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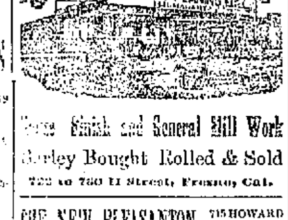
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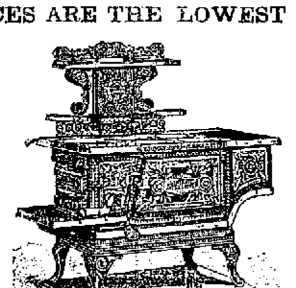
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5.00 a.m.—Fresno Local—For Merced, San Francisco and way points.
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5.30 a.m.—Mixed Train—Wednesday only, for Sanger Junction, Reedley, Porterville and on special order only to Ford.
12.10 p.m.—Express—For Merced, San Francisco, Sacramento, Portland, Ogden and East.
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Train 39 leaves Fresno at 10.15 a.m. daily, and arrives at Pollasky at 11.45 a.m.
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U. S. Dept. of Agriculture; Weather Bureau.

FRESNO, Dec. 25—Observation taken at 5 p. m.

Temperature	61
Dew Point	59
Humidity (per cent)	94
Wind Sf (miles per hour)	13
Maximum Temperature for past 24 hours	64
Minimum Temperature for past 24 hours	55
Rainfall	0.45
Total rainfall for season	9.58

JOHN R. WILLIAMS, Observer.

Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 25.—Official forecast: For twenty-four hours ending midnight, December 26th—Northern California—Cloudy and threatening weather and rain; cooler; by Friday night brisk high southerly winds.

EVENTS.

TODAY.

Australian Boomerang throwers at the Fair Grounds.

TONIGHT.

TOMORROW.

December 26 — 7.30 p.m. — Monterey and Fresno Road Meeting, Hughes Hotel.

TO COME.

December 27—3 a.m.—Experts report on Court House.
December 27—State Teachers
December 27—2 p.m.—City Council.
January 3—Fresno County World's Fair Commission.
January 10—City Board of Education.
January 23—2 p.m.—Grand Jury.

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A new Encyclopedia Britannica for sale at this office; price $18.

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Champagne dinner Sunday at Mitrovich's.

If you want a good Christmas dinner go to the City Bakery and Restaurant, 1038 I street.

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Fine family Bibles from $350 up, at Herbert & Brooks, 1151 J street, next to postoffice.

Don't forget to buy your Christmas cakes at the City Bakery and restaurant, 1038 I street.

Best meals at most reasonable prices at Cosmopolitan Rotisserie, opposite Hughes Hotel.

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See the splendid display of cakes made especially for the holiday trade at the City Bakery and restaurant, 1038 I street.

Marshall & Wilson, Fruitvale Nursery Depot, I street, opposite Kutner's, have full lines of fruit and ornamental trees.

Fred Gans has just received a fine lot of imported holiday cigars, packed 25 in a box, which will make a splendid present. Give Fred a call.

E. Winters was arrested yesterday on a charge of battering John Cannon. Cannon was trying to collect a bill from Winters and Winters fired him.

R. H. Churchill, advertising agent for Hood's sarsaparilla, is in Fresno advertising his goods, which he says may always be found at Baker & Colburn's.

The very best of Vaccine Virus, and scientifically applied at Deerdolls & Davidson's offices, rooms 3 and 4, Fresno Loan and Savings Bank building.

Call at Fred Gans for Christmas presents. He has the finest line of holiday cigars and pipes ever brought to Central California; prices the very lowest.

The German Lutheran Sunday school will have its Christmas celebration and Christmas tree on December 26th, at 7 p.m., in the Christian church corner Mariposa and M.

The Australian boomerang throwers did not give their advertised exhibition yesterday on account of the rain, but they will perform at the Fair grounds today whether it rains or not.

The Misses Martin, assisted by Mrs. J. M. Martin, Mrs. A. E. Wagstaff and Mrs. G. N. Freman, will receive on New Year's day at their residence, 837 O street, from 2 to 10 o'clock p.m.

Wawona Division No. 1, Knights of Pythias, will give a benefit entertainment next Friday night at the Barton opera house. Sullivan & Gilbert's comic opera, "Trial by Jury," will be given.

By special request select portions of the "Christmas Cantata" will be repeated at the Baptist church today. Mrs. J. S. Eastwood will give a rehearsal at the evening service, to be followed by baptism.

Father Waugh will meet the children and their friends at Nichols' hall Christmas day at 3 p.m. He will tell the children how they can live so as to be active and happy when they get to be 84 years old.

Rev. J. C. Rosser of Martinsville, Va., arrived on the noon train yesterday. He comes to conduct a revival service in the M.E. Church South. He will preach today at 11 a.m. Mr. Rosser is an excellent preacher and should be heard.

Try our celebrated banana cocoanut square cakes at Vienna Bakery, 1927 Mariposa street.

THE RAISIN MARKET

Causes for the Glut and Depression.

A STATE EXCHANGE NEEDED

C. C. Wright to Draft a Bill Providing for a Uniform Grade of Goods.

"What is the state of the raisin market at present?" asked a reporter yesterday of William Harvey, secretary of the California State Raisin Growers' association.

"The state of the market," replied Mr. Harvey, "to many is very satisfactory; to others it is most disastrous. There are two classes of growers here and two classes of packers. There is the grower who can afford to retain control of his raisins and refuses to sell them at less than combination prices. He does not place them out of his control and in the control of the packer or broker either in the east or San Francisco, by taking advances on them. He has obtained in all cases that have been reported to the association more that, 4½ cents per pound. Some have received cash for all raisins delivered at the packing houses prior to November 1st—5¼ cents a pound.

Alexander Gordon delivered 147 tons of raisins prior to that date. He did not draw any money on his goods, and he refused the persistent applications by the brokers to let them be sold in competition with others at less than the combination prices. He received a check for $12,055 for his 147 tons of raisins.

"J. M. Cory who has a vineyard of eighty acres realized 6¼ cents per pound for his crop, his vines being older and containing a larger percentage of layers. He has authorized the association to say that he attributes the result to his determination to stand by the association. This is the first year that the growers have had a combination and he says he never received a larger price per pound than he did this season.

"Mr. Reed also received more than 5 cents a pound for his crop and many more who remained with the association to sustain its schedule of rates."

"Why did not the others receive as much for their crops?" was asked.

"The poor grower is obliged to accept advances on his raisins and he thereby loses control of them, and many of the co-operative companies are in the same position—they are obliged to take advances on raisins that are shipped east. Many of the packers—I don't say all; far from it—allow the eastern broker to advance the freight, and this broker takes the raisins to an already glutted market and sells them at just what they will bring to pay the broker.

"Raisins today are being sacrificed a certain extent by those who are unable to hold for a market, but a good many growers and packers are working in unison, and they have decided to let the glutted market work off before they place their goods, and then they have no doubt that in February or March there will be a not or increased demand for raisins at the combination prices.

"The association has demonstrated this fact—that the so-called over production has nothing to do with the present low prices. It is the indiscriminate marketing and consigning and drawing money from certain sources, and thus allowing the raisins to be slaughtered.

"One thousand car loads of raisins were marked before the 1st of November, and this quantity for the most part was sold at combination prices. Large advances were made by eastern brokers on the second thousand car loads. One Chicago house wrote to the association that they had advanced $200,000 on California raisins, and they could not be expected to refrain from selling at the prevailing market price.

"What we require is a raisin exchange by which all raisins will be marketed from one common source, and not as at present, sent to glut three or four particular markets.

"The association is preparing a bill to be sent to the legislature which will provide for a uniform and regular grading of raisins according to the various qualities, under specified brands and with a duly authorized inspector under bonds, who shall be responsible that all raisins stamped with the state brand are of a uniform grade and size, but this will not interfere with or prevent the small grower from packing his raisins as he chooses. It will give a recognized value to a uniform grade of goods upon which bankers in California will advance money, being satisfied that they have value for their advances, and by that means we shall be enabled to retain our raisins and sell them for cash f. o. b. at the point of shipment.

"C. C. Wright, author of the Wright irrigation act, is to meet a committee of raisin growers to draft a bill on Monday at the Hughes hotel. I have not the least doubt that all the raisin growers in this state will be willing to pack their goods under a uniform state brand."

"Has not the quality of the goods had a good deal to do with these good prices?" was asked.

"Most certainly it has. The man who takes care of his vineyard and gets a larger percentage of layers will get a much larger price for his raisins than the man who simply grows raisins that have to be stamped and graded as loose raisins. Layer raisins this year sold as high as 10 cents per pound and clusters for a considerably higher price.

"Fresno has not sufficient capital to hold the raisins here, and the banks refuse to advance money on these goods. This obstacle can be surmounted only by an exchange and a proper system of grading upon which the banks will make advances as soon as a recognized uniform system of grading is inaugurated like wheat and cotton. Some of the co-operative and commission packers make advances to the growers and are compelled in their turn to receive advances from eastern brokers and thus lose control of the market."

New Year Receptions.

Mrs. Judge M. K. Harris will receive on Monday, January 2d from 2 until 6 p.m. assisted by Mesdames R. B. Terry, J. W. Gearhart, E. C. Osborne, W. D. Crichton, J. P. Tyree of Vallejo, Misses Carrie Stevens, Mary Gillespie, Maggie and Myrtle Harrell, Kate Parsons and Mattie King Harris.

Miss Anna Laura Harris will receive on Monday, January 2d from 3 o'clock until 9 o'clock p.m., assisted by Misses Kathryn Moultrie, Daisy Smith, Ella Rankin, Nemie Harby, Lou Anderson, Lizzie Thorn and Gezelle Lewis.

A Raisin Drier Burned.

Samuel Littlefield's fruit drier in Temperance colony, was destroyed by fire last Friday night. The flames consumed three tons of dried raisins and a thousand trays belonging to Ambrose brothers. The fire is believed to have been the work of an incendiary.

Hall's Hair Renewer cures dandruff and scalp affections; also all cases of baldness where the glands which feed the roots of the hair are not closed up.*

To the Men of Fresno—Accept our thanks for your patronage. Our new stock of cigars has arrived; you can get nothing finer in town. Levy & Langley, Eureka Cigar Store, 1739 Mariposa street.

Imported Swiss cheese at Blackler's.*

Best and cheapest candies, "Mascot."*

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

How the Christmas Holiday Was Observed There.

On Friday evening, December 23d, the First Baptist church gave in connection with their usual Christmas tree a very interesting cantata, the gist of which was "Waiting for Santa Claus," in which the younger members of the Sunday school participated.

The nervous impatience that never reaches its height until just before the appearance of Santa Claus was carried out in perfect order.

The entertainment was a grand success, and several of the characters deserve especial praise. All who attended went home doubly satisfied with presents and entertainment.

At the conclusion of the program the curtain was drawn and revealed to the eye a tree of dazzling beauty, upon which "Old Santa" had bestowed a goodly number of handsome, useful and costly presents, which were distributed at once, and it was a real pleasure to note the pleased expressions of those who were kindly remembered by Santa and loving friends.

A NOBLE WOMAN.

Her Untiring and Ceaseless Devotion to Her Sick Friend.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—I wish to say a word through your paper in commendation of the young lady, Miss Shuck, who had been watching for several weeks with Miss Simpson who died last Friday. On account of the close attention given I thought they were sisters, but I now learn they were simply friends, and hailing from the same state, Indiana.

As we are living next door my wife was frequently with the sick girl, and she tells me she never knew a case of devotion which exceeded this. During all the time of the girl's sickness Miss Shuck had been spending her own money for her and now, when death has come, some of the ladies propose to get some help from the Ladies' Aid society, but no—the young lady says: "I have money enough to bury her, and I shall use it."

I think some of our moneyed friends might take a lesson from this working girl. She certainly deserves the thanks and praise of all good people.

G. B. MCINTOSH.

RATTO HELD.

His Examination Conducted Behind Closed Doors.

O. M. Ratto, the young Lothario who had a shooting match with Policeman Grady recently was examined yesterday before Recorder Laning on a charge of an assault with intent to commit murder.

For some inscrutable reason the examination was held with closed doors. Policemen A. N. Grady and Welsh and Grady's brother John were the only witnesses examined.

Ratto was held to answer the charge before the superior court.

BURGLARS IN MADERA.

They Clean Up in Two Places $600.

Late Friday night burglars effected an entrance into the store of B. A. Maxson, who keeps a jewelry store in Madera. They gained an entrance through a back window and helped themselves to silver tunsets, spoons, forks, etc. The watches and most valuable jewelry were stored in a safe, but the robbers made no attempt to

The bar ore of Rippordam & Drake was tered. The robbers secured about $ worth of pocket knives, razors and pistols.

Mr. Maxson's loss is estimated at $300.

No clue to the robbers have been found.

A Minister Praised.

Rev. Mr. Sargent, who has successfully ministered to the Congregational church in this city, preaches his farewell sermon this evening, but the church will not be left pastorless. Rev. J. H. Collins of Los Angeles will succeed Mr. Sargent. Of him the Times of December 8th has the following:

"Rev. J. H. Collins has severed his connection with the Railroad-street Congregational church to accept a call from the First Congregational church of Fresno, to which place he will remove January 1st. Mr. Collins has been very successful in this city, having built up his congregation from the smallest to one of the best in the city, and his place will be hard to fill. While Mr. Collins is unique in his methods, he is a Christian of the practical sort, and has done a vast amount of good among the poor and unfortunate of his flock, who will lose their best friend when he leaves."

They Know Beans.

James H. Squires won the first prize, a cook-stove, offered by Kauffman & Co. for the nearest guess to the number of beans in a jar. There were 5166 beans in the jar. Mr. Squires came within one of the right number, guessing 5165. The second prize, a toy stove, was won by N. D. Gilbert, who guessed 5164, missing it by two only. The other guesses were wild, ranging from 1500 to 20,000.

Foreclosure Suits.

The German Savings & Loan Society began suit in the superior court yesterday against Solomon Davis to foreclose a $2000 mortgage on the east half of the southwest quarter of section 23, township 10 south, range 21 east.

Amelia G. Catlin sued A. W. Barrett to foreclose a $1500 mortgage on the undivided half interest in the northwest quarter of section 18, township 15 south, range 18 east.

Fresno's Fine Fruit.

The following donations were made to the World's Fair commission yesterday:

D. M. Wilson of Central colony, twenty-five pounds of raisins.

Mrs. J. Steinwood of Easterby ranch, box of Newtown Pippins.

Mrs. J. Finch Smith, one dozen jars of bottled fruit, put up by Mrs. E. W. Nevins.

Mrs. J. Finney of Perrin colony No. 1, one jar of jelly.

Christian Church Christmas Tree.

The Christmas tree at the Christian church last night was well attended. The tree was loaded with gifts for the children, and every man, woman and child received a box of candy and one of Fresno's sweet oranges.

With many clergyman, public speakers, singers, and actors, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is the favorite remedy for hoarseness and all affections of the vocal organs, throat and lungs. Its anodyne and expectorant effects are promptly realized.

I am anxious to have a teachers' class in reading and vocal training formed under the instruction of Miss Long. Those interested, either city or country teachers, will meet at the high school at 9 o'clock Monday morning.

T. L. HEATON.

Special Christmas Offering.

We sell dinner, tea and toilet sets of handsome designs, crockery, glass and chinaware at one-half old time prices. Our Mocha and Java coffee is perfection. Our pure teas and spices have no equal. At Great American Importing Tea Co's stores. An extra Christmas gift given to each customer.

Watson's Peerless Polish is the only shoe dressing that preserves your shoes from the alkali dust. Manufactured in Los Angeles. Especially for Pacific Coast trade. For sale everywhere.

FRESNO AND THE SEA

The Courtship Progressing Remarkably Well.

COL. JONES, THE MATCHMAKER

The New Railroad Company to be Organized in Two Weeks Hence.

A REPUBLICAN reporter called upon Colonel A. W. Jones yesterday at the Hughes hotel to ascertain the status of the proposed Monterey and Fresno railroad. The reporter asked:

"As you are understood to be here ready to place the bonds of the Monterey and Fresno railroad, the people would like to know your candid judgment as to the prospects of that enterprise?"

"To be candid," replied the Colonel, "I will say that upon my arrival here, the outlook was not very inviting, but I now feel convinced that the prospect is not only good, but very good, unless all calculations fail.

"At last Tuesday night's meeting I discovered that the patrons of the enterprise in Fresno were laboring under the apprehension of some unlimited responsibility if they became subscribers for the required amount of stock necessary to organize, and I also discovered that they were fearful of some interposition on the part of the Southern Pacific authorities to prevent the road from being an independent line. I cannot altogether blame them for these apprehensions and suspicions in view of preceding events, but it became evident to me that unless some different line of policy could be adopted in the organization of the Monterey and Fresno company it would not prove a success. I therefore, representing the interest which I did in coming here, not for my health but for business, set about to devise a remedy for the difficulty.

"In devising a new plan of procedure I also discovered a legal obstacle in the way of the original plan, but I am now confident that all will be right."

"Have you any objection to stating what that new plan is?" asked the reporter.

"Yes, sir; I have, because I am getting to be a little apprehensive of the Southern Pacific ghost which is said to be lurking around these parts. Suffice it to say that the new plan obviates the necessity of a single dollar of stock subscription by the patrons of the enterprise in Fresno or in any other point of the proposed line on the road.

"When the company is duly and legally organized under this new plan and everything is placed upon a strong business footing the people of Fresno and other points will be asked to show their faith by their works in a subscription for an outright subsidy or donation, payable when the road is completed and opened for traffic. On the other hand the company will be called upon to operate the road as independent of all other lines save in so far as interchange of traffic may be made necessary. It will be a simple, binding contract between the company and the subscribers, each to perform their respective parts and each to be legally obligated for such performance.

"Of course at any time before or during the construction of the road or afterwards, the people of Fresno can have an opportunity of buying stock at 100 cents on the dollar. In all grants for rights of way and other franchises to the road the same contract relations will be observed, so that there will be no mistake or misunderstanding as to liability or responsibility.

"On this plan the road can and will be constructed and operated as an independent line in face of all monopoly combination, provided that the people of Fresno and others interested in the enterprise will generously manifest their desire by a liberal patronage of the road."

"How long do you think it will be," was asked, "before the plan will assume some tangible shape?"

"Just as soon as the United States mails and the Western Union telegraph lines can perform their duty," replied the Colonel, "but I will venture to say in about the next ten days or two weeks the company will be organized."

"How long will it be before work on the construction of the road can be commenced?" was the next question.

"I think that dirt should be broken by April or May anyhow, and the work will be prosecuted continuously to completion without delay. There will be no difficulty about getting the capital to build the road as soon as the preliminaries can be arranged, if the promises of franchises, grants and donations to the amount of three quarters of a million shall be fulfilled by the people."

The committee will meet at the Hughes hotel tomorrow evening to report upon the subscription list.

PRAISE SERVICE.

How Christmas Will be Observed at the Presbyterian Church.

A very interesting Christmas praise service will be given tonight at the Presbyterian church in which the following persons will compose the choir: soprano, Mrs. J. W. Evans and Mrs. Price; alto, Mrs. T. J. Kirk and Miss Marshall; tenor, Mr. W. R. Price with Messrs. Parsons and Ricker assisting; bass, Mr. Toller and Mr. Ed White.

The following is a part of the programme: "The Wilderness," author Sir John Goss; an anthem by the chorus choir.

"Inflammatus," from Stabat Mater; a solo by Mrs. J. W. Evans, with a chorus.

"Sing O Heavens," author Tours; an anthem by the choir.

"I will give Thanks," Beethover anthem by chorus choir.

The Sheriff Complimented.

Sheriff-elect Jay Scott was [illegible] last evening by his deputies Peck, Smythe and Connolly—[illegible] elegant gold badge appropriately [illegible] scribed. The sheriff pinned it on his breast and will wear it during his years' term. He promised his deputies that neither they nor the people would ever have cause to regret the confidence reposed in him.

An Old School Democrat.

T. M. Taylor, drunk or insane, or both, made a speech on I street yesterday afternoon, declaring his intention of cutting the heads off all the Abolitionists in the county. He was arrested by Policeman Rader on a charge of disturbing the peace. A hundred and twenty-three dollars were found in his pockets.

Always take your prescriptions to Smith Bros., the most competent druggists.

FRESNO COLONY.

Christmas Celebrated There With Appropriate Eclat.

Although the rain came down in torrents the Christmas tree in Fresno colony was not forgotten. Some small preparations were made, but the residents came out in full force.

While this is only the second tree that has been given at this school house, it will be remembered for a long time by all those who attended it as a successful and pleasant event.

At 6 o'clock the people began to gather, and in less than half an hour the house was crowded to overflowing, and promptly at 7.30 the ceremonies began. Professor Miller related some queer experiences in reference to Santa Claus, and produced a pro rata which he said would be given upon advice of Mr. Santa Claus. The following was the program.

Song.....Choir
Recitation, "Christmas Bells".....
.....Hallie Kemble
Song.....Miss Adams' School
Recitation, "Annie and Willie's Prayer".....Jennie Budge
Recitation, "The Legend Beautiful,".....Maggie Kemble
Christmas Dialogue and Chorus.

After the program was rendered Mr. Santa Claus appeared, and with a dash he came through the window and appeared before the house to the satisfaction of them all.

When he had created considerable amusement he directed a number of men and children to distribute the presents from the tree and now the fun began.

Nearly all the young men received something in the way of miniature dolls, rubber baby rattles, onions and spuds. One fellow got a doll and a baby rattle and the other chaps began to josh him, but it would not last for it was not five minutes before another bomb of merriment was exploded in the way of two dolls being handed in their midst.

Christmas comes but once a year, but the people of Fresno colony know how to enjoy themselves. KEN.

A CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL

Given at the Round House Mission Sunday School.

The Round House Mission Sunday school, under the superintendence of Miss Lizzie Gilfon, held a Christmas tree festival last evening. The tree was beautifully decorated and loaded with more than 200 presents, which were distributed to the scholars.

The following excellent program, under the management of John Hutchison, was rendered.

"Words of Welcome," a recitation by Master George Clark; a chorus by the little girls of the school; a recitation by little Edna Clark; "Anywhere With Jesus."

A song by the school.

"Santa Claus," a recitation by Miss Edna Colius.

The closing piece was a song by the entire school, entitled "Merry Chimes."

Mr. Richard Williams personated Santa Claus very successfully.

The festival was a great success, there being 150 persons present.

This Sunday school has been established but a short time, and is doing excellent work.

A CHRISTMAS SOCIAL

Given by the Emanuel Baptist Church Last Friday Night.

The members of the Emanuel Baptist church gave a pleasing Christian social at the church last Friday evening. The following program was rendered:

Song, by the Sunday school; reading, "Christmas is Here," Maggie Sayle; song, "Christmas Bells;" recitation, "The Sweet Old Story," Dora Bramlett; song, "Christ is Born," — Cicero; recitation, "Lady Yeardley's Guest," Miss Lila Stockton; song by school, "Glory in the Highest;" reading, "The Night After Christmas;" recitation, Ralph Sayle; duet, Esther Wood and Maggie Sayle; remarks by Rev. Wood.

At the conclusion of the program the visitors sat down to tables loaded with good things, of which they partook heartily. The social was a great success.

Eighteen Months at Folsom.

Harry Murray and C. C. Haines, the men who were arrested a short time ago for burglarizing the room of a barkeeper named Terre, pleaded guilty to a charge of burglary in Judge Holmes' court yesterday morning, and were each sentenced to serve eighteen months at Folsom.

An Insane Man Arrested.

Constable Kennedy yesterday arrested Gaston Gararoat Pollasky on a charge of insanity. Gararo was lodged in jail pending an investigation by the commissioners of lunacy.

Don't buy your Christmas cakes until you see our fine stock of assorted, ornamental iced and plain cakes. We use only the best material and first-class workmanship. Get our prices, cheaper than ever. Vienna Bakery, F. Knobloch, proprietor.

Give teething babies and feverish children Stoedman's Soothing Powders. Ask for Stoedman's and beware of imitations.

Extraordinary Liberality.

During the holiday season, as an extra Christmas gift to their customers, the Great American Importing Tea Co's stores will present their customers with extra premiums, over and above their usual presents. Their teas, coffees and spices are superior in quality, purity and cheapness.

Their china and crockery department is replete with new goods of new designs. Prices one-half old time rates. Special Christmas bargains in dinner, tea and toilet sets.

Oh, why do your suffer with rheumatic and neuralgic pains when the Oil of Edelweiss removes the seed of all pains. For sale by all druggists.

49-50 Club, Notice.

Parties holding invitations to the 49-50 club party on Monday night who do not wish to take part in the ball, will enter Armory Hall from the J street staircase. Those wishing to take ill enter from the Fresno street

baskets at the "Mascot."

Card of Thanks.

The undersigned completes his [illegible] business in Fresno and on [illegible] desires to extend thanks [illegible] to the [illegible] patronage bestowed on [illegible] years. He can only [illegible] there the same careful [illegible] business which has [illegible] his place in the past, and as to [illegible] he confidently calls attention to the following as being the cheapest in Fresno for [illegible] kind of work turned out: Men's soling and heeling, $1; men's soling, 75 cents; ladies' soling, 60 cents.

Respectfully, F. H. SINCLAIR, The Shoemaker, 923 I Street, next to Hughes Hotel.

DR PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder.

The only Pure Cream of Tartar Powder.—No Ammonia; No Alum.
Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard.

A CARELESS DRIVER

CAUSED A RUNAWAY ON I STREET LAST NIGHT.

Mrs. Ewing and Sister Thrown From Their Phaeton Into the Street.

August Roy, a hostler in the employ of Dan Maloney, filled himself with Christmas hilarity and whisky last night, and drove down J street in a cart to see the sights. When near the postoffice he carelessly let the horse he was driving have his own way, and the animal ran into the Grand Central hotel's farm wagon. The shock threw Roy heavily to the ground, where he lay unconscious for several minutes.

The collision frightened the mules attached to the wagon and they ran away.

Mrs. W. M. Ewing of Fresno colony and her sister, Miss McLaren of San Francisco, were seated in a phaeton in front of the postoffice when the frightened animals came along. The runaway team struck the phaeton and turned it completely around. The ladies were dashed to the bitumen, one of the wheels of the vehicle pinioning Mrs. Ewing to the ground.

Policeman Smith, who was standing near by at the time, caught their horse and prevented it from running away.

The ladies were taken to the Popular drug store, where it was found that they were not much hurt, Miss McLaren suffering from a slight injury of the spine.

The inebriated Roy, whose carelessness was the cause of the accident, was taken to Dr. Kelly's office, where he was examined. It was thought his leg was broken, but close inspection showed that the only damage he suffered was a bruised knee.

The phaeton was considerably damaged by the collision with the wagon, the dashboard and splash board being wrecked and one of the wheels badly sprung.

THE CONTESTED ELECTION.

Only Three Precincts Counted—No Material Changes.

Yesterday only three out of eighty-seven precincts were counted in the contested election cases. These precincts were: Auberry, Fresno No. 6 and Fresno No. 7.

There were no changes in Auberry.

In Fresno No. 6 Freeman gained 1 and Norris lost 1.

Machon lost 1 and Freeman lost 1 in Fresno No. 7.

The changes balance each other so far between Austin and Freeman. Norris has gained 3 in the totals.

The count will be resumed next week.

Harrell-Edwards.

Walter Harrell, of the Fresno Cash store, has returned from Tennessee where he went to wed Miss Morey Edwards, the daughter of a prominent lawyer of Dresden, Tenn. He brought his bride with him to this city where the happy couple will make their home. The many friends of the young people will wish them much happiness.

Select something from D. H. William's Furniture House, I street, opposite Hughes Hotel, and your Christmas present will be useful as well as beautiful.*

Set of bread, cake and paring knives; something new at Donahoe, Emmons & Co.

Queen olives in bulk at Blackler's.*

Naher
The Jeweler
For
Holiday Presents.

Xmas trees at Blackler's.*

Finest line of albums in the city, including the new stand album, at Herbert & Brooks, 1151 J street.*

Go to McVey's for office desks.*

Louis Einstein & Co.

LIST OF

Useful and Desirable Holiday Gifts.

Our already fine stock of holiday goods has just been enlarged by further importations, and for variety, quality and low prices has no equal in Fresno. Below we give a few of the many attractive articles in display:

Dress Patterns
Fine Hosiery
Garments and Capes
Kid Gloves in every length and at all prices
Purses and Card Cases
Fans and Lace Scarfs
Feather and Fur Boas
Fur Sets and Shawls
Elegant Damask Sets
Fancy Linen Tea Sets
Eider Down Quilts
Eider Down Cushions
Wilton Rugs
Smyrna Rugs
Angora Rugs
Portieres and Curtains
Art Squares and Crumb Cloth, and a grand display of

Handkerchiefs

For Ladies, Gentlemen and Children, in plain and embroidered, silk and linen, with and without initials, at all prices.

Gents' Neckwear—all the latest styles
Perfumery and Fancy Goods

Louis Einstein & Co.

LEADING DRY GOODS HOUSE OF FRESNO

W. McCallum & Co

Sole Agents Fonsi Gloves—Corset Depot for Central and Southern California
Headquarters for Fast Black Hosiery.

A Great Special Sale OF Lace Curtains, Table Linens And Towels

50 pair Lace Curtains	$1 00 per pair
46 pair Lace Curtains	1 50 per pair
28 pair Lace Curtains	2 00 per pair
18 pair Lace Curtains	2 50 per pair
25 pair Lace Curtains	3 00 per pair
33 pair Lace Curtains	3 50 per pair
15 pair Lace Curtains	4 00 per pair
17 pair Lace Curtains	5 00 per pair
Extra heavy and wide Lace Curtains $6, $7.50, $8, $9 and	10 00 per pair

Table Linen.

Cream Table Linen (all linen), 30c per yard.
Cream Table Damask, 50c—regular price 75c.
Cream Table Damask, Cardinal Border, 50c—cheap at 75c
Cream Table Damask, 75c—reduced from $1.
Bleached Table Damask, 50c—the best value ever offered
Bleached Table Damask, 75c—good value for $1.
Bleached Table Double Damask, $1—regular price $1.25

Towels, Towels.

All Linen Towels, 12½c, 15c, 20c.
All Linen Huck Towels, cardinal and blue borders, 23 inches wide, 44 inches long, 25c.
Cream Huck Towels, all Linen, 22 inches wide, 40 inches long, 25c.
Large Bath Towels, 25c.
Damask Towels, 50c and 60c.
All Muslins and Sheetings at Mill Prices.

Parties requiring Lace Curtains, Table Linens, Towels or Napkins should not fail to call and examine our stock during this Special Sale.

W. McCALLUM & CO.

Temple Bar Building, Cor. Mariposa and K Sts

Some Elegant Novelties

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Crockery and Glassware . . . .

FINE HOLIDAY STOCK

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J. E. DEALY

CUTTER.

Walker Building, Mariposa St., opp. Grand Central Hotel.

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Xmas Trees!

AND EVERGREENS.

Also Candles and holders. TREE DECORATIONS, Leaves, Flowers and Novelties for Decorating Cakes.

Special rates to Candies to Sunday Schools and Societies.

Order Trees early as stock is limited.

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MRS. E. P. NAYLOR

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A Complete NEW Stock of Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, Silver and Plated Ware.

See His Fine Stock of Souvenir Spoons.

1809.....Mariposa Street.

A Merry Christmas To All

From the

POOR MAN'S FRIEND

White Front Stores

A VISIT FROM ST. NICHOLAS.

Written for The Republican.

[CALIFORNIA VERSION.]

'Twas the night before Christmas when all through the house
Not a creature was stirring, not even a mouse;
The stockings were hung by the chimney with care,
In hopes that old Santa Claus soon would be there

The children were nestled all snug in their beds,
While visions of sugar-plum, danced through their heads:
When out on the lawn there arose such a clatter,
I sprang from my bed to see what was the matter.

The windows were open; the rose's perfume
Borne on the soft airs with which prevailed the room.
The moon on the orange trees shone with a glow—
Giving luster of mid-day to objects below.

When what to my wondering eyes should appear,—
An airy-like phaeton, drawn by red mountain deer,
With a little old driver so lively and quick,
I knew in a moment it must be St. Nick.

More rapid than eagles his coursers they came,
He whistled and shouted and called them by name:
"Now, Dasher! now, Dancer! now Prancer and Vixen!
On Cupid! on Comet! on Donder and Blitzen!

As dry leaves before the wild hurricane fly
When they meet with an obstacle mount to the sky.
Soon they came flying—not a moment's repose,
Till they reached the dark shadow of a broad blooming rose.

As I drew in my head and was turning around
Through the open window Santa Claus came with a bound.
He was dressed as for traveling in a light summer suit,
Flower-covered, dew-bespangled from his head to foot.

A bundle of toys he had flung on his back,
And he looked like a peddler just opening his pack.
His eyes how they twinkled! His dimples how merry!
His cheeks were like roses, his nose like a cherry!

His droll little mouth was drawn up like a bow,
And the beard of his chin was as white as the snow;
A bright, blooming rose spray he held in his teeth,
And its fragrance encircled his head like a wreath.

He had a broad face and a little round belly,
That shook when he laughed like a bowl-full of jelly.
He was chubby and plump—a right jolly old elf—
And I laughed when I saw him in spite of myself,

A wink of his eye and a twist of his head,
Soon gave me to know I had nothing to dread:
He spoke not a word, but went straight to his work,
And filled up the stockings, then turned with a jerk,

And laying his finger aside of his nose,
And giving a nod through the window he goes.

To his phaeton he sprang; to his team gave a whistle,
And away they all flew like the down of a thistle:
But I heard him exclaim, ere he drove out of sight.
"Happy Christmas to all and to all a good-night."

—Sanders, Cal. —Minnie Ellis Lake.

McFLAIRITY'S CHRISTMAS GIFT.

Written for The Republican.

"It's Christmas day,
Shweet dennie McGhee,
An' I bring ye a splendid rarity—
A Christmas gift
Ye niver can lift;
It's mesilf—it is Ted McFlairity!"

"Och! Ted, go 'way
Wit' yer boyish play;
Ye're rude, an' I don't could stay wid ye:
Put the gift on the shilf
An' be aff wid yeilf!"

Shtop! Ye takin' the gift away wid ye!"

"Ah! Jenny, me dear,
The gift is here,
A refusal would chtop the breath of me:
An' I'd always say
'Till me dyin' day,
That it caused the immediate death of me."

"Och! Teddy, me Ted!
Is it thrue ye're dead?
Ahone! For the life's gone out of me.
Come back to yer life
Come back to your wife!
An' ye niver shall have any doubt o' me."

"I am spachless, me queen,
Is it thrue ye mean
Ye accipt of the gift along wid the giver?"

"Yis, Ted, to be sure,
Any fear would endure,
For the sake of the gift, yer all worst presence for-ever."

"Ah! Jennie McGhee,
Ye'll bless the day
When yer name it is Mrs. McFlairity;
Wid a cow, an' a pig
An' a bit of a gig,
We will aquil the shtyle of O'Garrity.

"Then Jenny, me Jane,
Along the lane
Of life we'll walk so peacefully;
An' when we've died,
We'll weep beside
Each other's graves so gracefully."

"A place I'll dig,
An' plant a sprig
O' shamrock o'er yours tinderly!
An' over mine
Ye'll plant a vine
Wid branches spreadin' splendidly."

"Och! Ted by, me Ted!
While ye are dead,
I'll weep me eyes out o'er ye, Ted,
An' the grief, alone,
Of livin' alone,
Will kill me long before ye, Ted.

"The blue o' the skies
Is in yer eyes,
An' the teardrops shinin' glimmerly;
Don't weep for me, Ted,
For afther I'm dead
I will be thine to yer all-mimery."

—Paul Prowler.

MARRIED.

HUDSON—CHITTENDEN—At the residence of the bride's parents, Fresno, December 21, 1892, by Rev. W. H. Martin, Alston J. Hudson and Miss Grace M. Chittenden.

KEYS—DICKSON—In Fresno, December 20, 1892, by W. D. Crichton, justice of the peace, George T. Keys, of San Francisco and Lorena E. Dickson, of Selma.

Fruit for the Teachers.

The committee on entertainment of the state convention of school teachers has received a quantity of fine raisins from Messrs. Blaney & Chandler of Fowler and boxes of Fresno oranges from Alfred Baird and S. F. Vian, in addition to those sent in by Mr. Burns. They will be distributed to the teachers as digestible souvenirs.

THREE TROUBLES.

3 Three things which all workingmen know give the most trouble in their hard-strain work are: Sprains, Bruises and Soreness.

THREE AFFLICTIONS.

3 Three supreme afflictions, which all the world knows afflict mankind the most with Aches and Pains are: Rheumatism, Neuralgia and Lumbago.

THREE THINGS.

3 to do are simply these Buy it, try it and be promptly and permanently cured by the use of

ST. JACOBS OIL CURES ALL PAIN.

GRACEFUL GOWNS.

Costumes in Which Girls Are Able to Ride Like Men in California.

Even those dear, modest daughters of Mrs. Grundy are now beginning to rub their eyes with a look not all dismay, but mixed with a certain envy, when they see a happy, vigorous sister canter by on the cross saddle, so universally called "man's saddle." And one inquisitive maid asks: "What kind of a suit do they wear? How can one make the things? And when mounting or dismounting or walking aren't they dreadful?" No, dear; they can be much more graceful than the ordinary habit, and there is room for individual taste.

One young woman, a frequent rider, and one who in California takes many long exploring tours, has made a very full skirt, about twice the volume of an ordinary gathered skirt, and this she folds under her on the saddle so as to allow on either side an ample covering to the foot. This she has found to be invaluable, as it "stays put," and cannot fly about in the breeze.

Another young Californian has succeeded in having made a most comfortable, neat and picturesque suit, the skirt—of rather lightweight green cloth—being simply two skirts, the regulation divided article, only much fuller, and of course to just clear the ground. This is the nearest approach to the horrifying idea of trousers! When viewed from either side the rider looks very tall and sylphlike, as the skirt hangs straight down and clings. There should be riding trousers under this.

But the palm for grace, comfort and inconspicuousness is awarded to a maiden who, spending some time in Boston and wishing to go properly out to Belmont and take riding lessons, was transported to a ranch in the beautiful mountains of the golden west, presented with a 4-year-old broncho of bucking fame and told "to ride." She adopted the Jenness Miller cycle suit for her pony, and as the envy of all the girls when on excursions, as they sit screwed all out of harmony, and cannot dismount to drink from mountain streams because it is so much trouble to climb to their perch again.

In detail this suit is composed of full trousers, perhaps three feet in circumference at the bottom and reaching to the heel. Over these is the skirt, which gains in being plaited instead of gathered, and is of heavy cloth, weighted and not very full. In front and back it is divided, and each side hemmed up three-fourths of the length, and then the four corners are turned in when on the horse, or they fall under naturally, and the effect is that of a pretty plaited skirt more fan shaped than the one previously mentioned.

In walking should the wind catch it it is never awkward, and the under divided skirt mingles with it, so that no one would divine the nature of it. With these sensible skirts you are not obliged to wriggle into the stiff corseted bodice, but any manner of making the upper portion of the garment may be adopted, provided it is long waisted and has a slender, trim effect.—Boston Transcript.

The Only School of Its Kind.

The New York School of Applied Design for Women, the only institution of its kind in the country, was opened Monday in its building, at Seventh avenue and Twenty-third street. The school was organized through the efforts of Mrs. Dunlap-Hopkins. It opened with seventy-five pupils. Its projectors believe that there is a broad field for women in making designs for carpets, wall papers, oilcloths—in fact for everything connected with house furnishing.

There are twelve instructors in the school, among them being Gustav Delouvres, head designer for Warren, Fuller & Co., manufacturers of wall paper; A. W. Lord, with McKim, White & Mead, architects, and George Wright, head designer at Higgins & Co.'s carpet works.

The Rev. Dr. Wesley Brown, who formally opened the school, has presented to the school five scholarships, valued at fifty dollars each, and various prizes will be awarded to successful students.—New York Advertiser.

Apartments for Single Women.

The single young woman in London who has to live economically, and who is, by the way, much better off than a young man in the same circumstances, will soon have nothing to complain of in the matter of residence if London builders continue to be as attentive and generous as they are at the present moment. Single rooms at the moderate rental of ten dollars a month are obtainable in many of the new apartment houses in London, and their tenants, as well as those who have more expensive sets, are entitled to the use of the general dining room—in one instance a splendid apartment, with salmon colored walls and granite arches.—London Letter.

Women's School of Design.

Mrs. Dunlap-Hopkins has been a leading spirit in the work involved in founding the recently organized school of applied design for women in New York. It is to have for instructors practical men and women actually engaged in manufactories or architects' offices. The Rev. J. W. Brown, of St. Thomas' church; George L. Ingraham and J. Carroll Beckwith are among the well known men connected with it. Manufacturers will offer prizes for designs by students, and the latter will be aided in bringing their work to the notice of manufacturers.—Harper's Bazar.

To Stew Oysters.

Here is an old recipe for corking oysters: Take a quart of oysters and clean them well from bits of shells and dross in their own liquor; then strain that liquor and put in a large blade of mace, a small nutmeg sliced and a little salt; let your oysters boil in this liquor and seam them clean; when they are near enough put to them some parsley shred fine and a little shallot if you love it; also shred fine the yolk of four eggs and near half a pound of butter. Shake it constantly.

To rid the house of flies and ants and water bugs, not to include others more unmentionable, it has been found satisfactory to fumigate by burning sulphur candles, a far easier method than the old fashioned one of breaking up stick sulphur on hot coal.

Mrs. Mackay never wears any jewels at her own entertainments. At her last party, which was a concert for the young Italian royalty, the Duke d'Aosta, she wore pale pink, without ornament. Her guests were jeweled to the point of barbarity.

The popularity of collegiate training for women is widespread. More than three thousand students were enrolled the past year at Vassar, Smith, Wellesley and Bryn Mawr.

Mrs. F. B. Mapp, of Milledgeville, Ga., is reported to have received a diploma and gold medal from the Inventive society, of Paris, for a bread raiser she has invented.

Ice is now used to preserve cut flowers. Put your bunch of roses in the refrigerator over night. Salt and ice are said to answer even better than ice alone.

A FEW REMARKS

About a Great Business Success in Fresno.

People often wonder how it is possible that such a phenomenal success as that accomplished by the Poor Man's Friend White Front Stores could be made in a few years. Yet there is really no mystery about the matter. The seemingly wonderful results are gained by sticking to a few simple priciples such as buying in the lowest market for cash; getting cash discounts and retailing at the lowest possible prices. That brings the trade. Then treat the customers politely and make them feel that it is a pleasure to do business with you. This is just what the Poor Man's Friend does. The new delivery wagon is at the disposal of customers to carry their goods to any point in the city or a additions, whether the purchase is for ten cents or a hundred dollars. The firm is not bent on money making alone, they are striving to build up a colossal business and are accomplishing their purpose with marvelous rapidity. *

Poetical Gems by 1-2-3.

When full of care and sore at mind;
When bills come in from near and far,
The greatest comfort and pleasure you will find
Is smoking a Gans' clear Havana cigar. *

November 21, 1892.

DR. KELLETT, Fresno

Dear Sir—Please find inclosed $1 for a bottle of the Oil of Eden. I have used the trial bottle and find it excellent for rheumatism and neuralgia.

Respectfully, MRS. A. B. MCCRACKEN, Uden, Wilson County, Texas.

BARCKLEY, Ark., December 5.

MR. JOHN KELLETT, FRESNO.

Dear Sir—In reply to yours I will say that the Oil of Eden has given great satisfaction in several instances. My wife had inflammatory rheumatism and I tried everything I knew of, and although I have a good reputation for treating rheumatism, I failed entirely to do her any good until I got your Oil of Eden. It acted like magic, and she was up and about for the first time in several months inside of a week. I have also found it good for neuralgia, sore throat, enlarged glands, etc. Let me know what terms you can make.

Yours Respectively, DR. F. S. FERRELL.

Jones' Jewelry Sale.

The auction sale of J. R. Jones will continue during the present week; as before stated the remainder of the stock will be sold at the public's price. The finest goods are yet to be sold. *

Heating and cook stoves; best stock; best prices at Donahoe-Emmons & Co.*

Thomas Paine

In the Age of Reason, says: "Why smoke a common cigar, When you can get the finest clear Havana cigar for a bit at Fred Gans." *

"A snake in the grass" is all the more dangerous from being unsuspected. So are many of the blood medicines offered the public. To avoid all risk, ask your druggist for Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and also for Ayer's Almanac, which is just out for the new year. *

Christmas Entertainment.

Porterville raised oranges, 300 boxes apples, car'oad potatoes and onions, bananas, nuts, dates, bleached celery, green sage, cauliflower and dressed turkeys and all other luxuries of the season at Seropian Bros., J street, opposite postoffice. *

Blackler has moved. *

Briefs printed,
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$1000 Reward.

Any lady or gentleman in Fresno who is troubled with wanting to lie in bed these frosty mornings, or with cold fingers, feet, or general shivering after they are up, we will pay the above reward if instant relief is not given by the proper use of our large second growth oak wood for heating stoves. Also our Peacock coal is equally as good; try it. Redden & Collins. Telephone 49. *

Prescriptions filled lower than the lowest at Smith Bros. *

Fresh shrimps and crabs at Blackler's* *

Dandruff permanently cured with Smith's Dandruff Pomade; has no equal; try it; guaranteed to cure. *

New and novel line of toilet sets at Herbert & Brooks. *

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McVey has received two carloads of furniture, cheaper than ever. *

Redden & Collins have more wood than some people have hay, and they are selling it too. Telephone 49. *

Corns! corns! Smith's Corn Paint is guaranteed to cure. *

Dr. J. C. Cooper's dental parlors removed to Garibaldi block, corner Mariposa and K streets, opposite court house park, next to Dr. Rowell's office. Fine work a specialty. Extracting 50 cents.*

Save your dollars by trading with Smith Bros., the leading druggists. *

The City Bakery answers orders by telephone. Their number is 33. *

New line bedroom suits, McVey's. *

Christmas cakes a specialty this year at the City Bakery. *

Window glass at Donahoe, Emmons & Co. *

Blank books to order at J. A. Slater's* *

Carpets cheaper than ever at McVey's* *

Pure whisky for medical use at the Bodega. *

Don't buy Christmas presents until you have seen McVey's new line. *

Greatest variety and best quality of cakes and pastry at the City Bakery.* *

The City Bakery has engaged an expert pastryman for the holidays. *

Celluloid picture frames, single and double, at Herbert & Brooks, 1151 J st.* *

Best values in decorated cups and saucers. Paul Borchardt, 1022 I street.* *

Redden & Collins sell wood. *

Don't Pay Rent.

Buy a house on the installment plan, only $25 per month; house is hard finished and centrally located. Address for full particulars, P, postoffice box 499, Fresno. *

Sperry's best family flour has led all others for forty years. *

New line of fancy rockers at McVey's* *

Redden & Collins sell heap cheap. *

Madame Zenobia, the eminent clairvoyant, is again in Fresno, at room 30, Temple Bar building. Your life from the cradle to the grave. Prices 50 cents and $1. *

Sperry's Stockton flour has never been equaled. *

ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A .....Holiday Present?

NAHER The Jeweler,

.....1829 Mariposa Street

Has one of the nicest lines of WATCHES, DIAMONDS and JEWELRY ever offered in our city. Also a handsome line of Silver Novelties—just the thing for a present, and at prices in reach of all.

Don't neglect to examine this stock before you purchase.

1829 Mariposa Street.....NAHER The Jeweler

Go to McVey's for christmas furniture* *

Attention, Beer Drinkers.

The Old Palm Garden is the only place in Fresno you can secure eastern and the celebrated Pabst Milwaukee beer. Fresh Frankfurters every day. *

Pabst Milwaukee beer at the old Palm Garden, opposite Hughes Hotel. *

New line parlor furniture, McVey's.* *

Our Foresight.

Anticipating a lack of funds with most people this year we bought a line of holiday goods within the reach of all, consisting of decorated china, fancy lamps, etc. Paul Borchardt, 1022 I street. *

Special attention is called for the holidays to families desiring fine Sonoma and Santa Clara wines of all kinds. A complete supply on hand. Also direct importer of pure whiskeys from the Aurora Distilling Company, 5th District, Ky. Satisfaction guaranteed. Oscar Greenebaum, 1154 J street, opposite postoffice. Telephone 196. *

New line folding beds, McVey's. *

Order your wood and coal from Wood & Dorsey, 856 I street, telephone 15.* *

Redden & Collins are in it. *

All straight whiskeys at the Bodega. *

Magazines bound at J. A. Slater's. *

Redden & Collin's sell coal. *

Redden & Collins say, "try our large second growth oak for heating stoves; prices will suit." Telephone 49. *

McVey has largest stock of furniture ever in Fresno, 1120, 1122 and 1124 J street. *

Furniture at lowest prices at McVey's* *

Christmas chairs, quite appropriate for a present at D. H. William's Furniture House, I street, opposite Hughes Hotel. *

New line parlor desks at McVey' *

Major S. is ever welcome, as also all my friends are to call and see me, when they smoke the fragrant and choice cigars from the Eureka Cigar Store, 1739 Mariposa street. Yours, Jennie. *

New line easels, book shelves, etc., McVey's. *

Bring your cakes to the City Bakery to be iced and ornamented. *

Wood & Dorsey, telephone 15, wrapping paper, paper bags and twine at wholesale. *

New line secretaries at McVey's. *

New and elegant line of furniture and carpets at D. H. Williams, I street, opposite Hughes Hotel. *

Cigars! People prefer buying cigars where they get the best value in the city. That is the reason of the increase of trade at the Eureka Cigar Store, 1739 Mariposa street. *

The City Bakery will make a run in Christmas cakes. *

Guaranteed Cure.

We authorize our advertisedd druggist to sell Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, upon this condition. If you are afflicted with a cough, cold or any lung, throat or chest trouble, and will use this remedy as directed, giving it a fair trial, and experience no benefit, you may return the bottle and have your money refunded. We could not make this offer did we not know that Dr. King's New Discovery could be relied on. It never disappoints. For sale at Webster Bros.' City Drug Store, corner K and Mariposa sts. *

A Leader.

Since its first introduction, Electric Bitters has gained rapidly in popular favor, until now it is clearly in the lead among pure medicinal tonics and alteratives—containing nothing which permits its use as a beverage or intoxicant, it is recognized as the best and purest medicine for all ailments of stomach, liver or kidneys. It will cure Sick Headache, Indigestion, Constipation, and drive Malaria from the system. Satisfaction guaranteed with each bottle or the money will be refunded. Price only 50c per bottle. For sale by Webster Bros.' City Store, corner K and Mariposa streets. *

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See that the words "JOHN STEEDMAN, Chemist, Walworth, Surrey," are engraved on the Government Stamp affixed to each packet.

Sold by all Leading Druggists.

WANTED—HELP

WANTED—FARMERS, RANCHERS, VINEyardists, hotel keepers, boarding houses and families requiring first class help, male or female, will please call or send to the most reliable place in the San Joaquin valley, the Eureka Employment Bureau, 1738 Mariposa street, LEVY & LANGLEY. We have some first class helpers on our list awaiting orders. Call soon if you want them. de30f

WANTED—A MAN TO HANDLE HORSES; also one to do general work and make himself useful. J, this office. de30f

WANTED—25 OR 30 MEN TO CHOP WOOD; $2 per cord. Call at L. C. RICE'S wood yard. de29tf

WANTED—PRUNERS; ALSO EXPERIENCED working foreman for vineyards; good pay to good men. Apply 1739 Mariposa street, Eureka Employment Bureau. d22tf

WANTED — WOMEN FOR HOUSEWORK and cooking in town, at the Scandinavian Employment Office, 658 H street. d21tf

WANTED—A COMPETENT AND RELIABLE man to act as superintendent of a large raisin and wine vineyard in this county; must be thoroughly familiar with the handling of horses and understand his business. A married man and one having some knowledge of making wine preferred. Good references required. Steady salary wanted. Address E, this office. d20tf

WANTED—SITUATIONS

WANTED MAN AND WIFE WANTS SITUation on ranch; woman to cook for hands, and man to work as hand; references given. For particulars address ROBERT J. POOL, Fowler, Fresno county Cal. Care of Postoffice box 109. de23t6*

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED TEACHER desires to engage a school to begin after the holidays. E. C. HADDOCK of the Home Packing Company can give further particulars; office 1751 Tulare street. d21tf

WANTED—A POSITION AS WAITER OR chambermaid in a hotel; reference given. Address 921 J street. d21tf*

WANTED—BY A RELIABLE YOUNG MAN, situation in a store or office. Address A. B. Fresno. d18 10*

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—A PARTNER WITH $200 OR more in a splendid paying business. Address M, postoffice box 32, Fresno. d22tf

WANTED — TO RENT 20-ACRE RAISIN vineyard, 5 years old. Call at Pleasant View, room 27, from 12 to 1. d22tf*

WANTED—WASHING AT 752, CORNER INYO and B streets. d19tf

TO LET ON SHARES—THE STANDARD bred stallion Oregon Boy (5515), by Alcona, 739; dam by Altamont, 33; to let on the shares for the season of '93. Inquire of GEORGE H. BERNHARD, 1111 J street. d12tf

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—COLONY LOT, CHEAP RED D land, east of Fresno, 5 mile to depot, 25 acres in 10-year-old raisin vines, 2 acres orange orchard, 2 acres alfalfa; house and barn; price $1400. Address P., Postoffice box 499, Fresno. 19tf

FOR SALE—122 ACRES OF LAND NEAR Elk Hair station; 100 head of cattle, 5 horses, 2 wagons, farming implements, household furniture; will sell cheap. Address B. WOODS, Caruthers Station. de23tf*

FOR SALE—CHEAP—NO 1 10 ACRE VINEyard; vines two and three years old, takes $4000 will take one-third in desirable city property; balance three years time. Apply to O. B. KELLOGG, 1338 Tulare street. de23tf

FOR SALE—A FINE SUBURBAN HOME; 5 acres in choice fruit; full bearing; 5 acres alfalfa; good house; terms easy. Apply to J. W. REESE or real estate agents. de23tf

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN—HOUSE 6 ROOMS and 4 lots; well and pump; house painted; lawn and shrubbery. Inquire cor. Tuolumne and G sts. de23tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN—THREE SPLENDID lots on corner in Villa addition, Fresno; must be sold. Address E. A. Harris, Marshalltown, Iowa. de23t2w

FOR SALE—FIRST-CLASS TOKAY, MALAGA and Sultana grape; also cuttings. Elkhorn Vineyard. d23tf

FOR SALE—A WELL-ASSORTED LIBRARY, with elegant case, and furniture. 1715 Stanislaus street, between H and I. de23t2*

FOR SALE—FRESH MILCH COWS, AT ROBERT MARTIN'S, ¼ mile east of Belmont School. d17tf

FOR SALE—I HAVE A LOT OF 3 AND 4-year-old mules for sale; some broken to work. Inquire corner K and Stanislaus sts. JESSE IRVINE. de9tf

FOR SALE—GOOD BALED WHEAT HAY. Apply to M. Sterling Vineyard. n30m1

FOR SALE—WORK AND DRIVING HORSES, stallions, jacks and mules; horses bought, sold or exchanged on easy terms. L. F. WARD, Investor and Dealer, 837 South F st. n23tf

FOR RENT—HOUSES ROOMS ETC

FOR RENT—JERSEY MILCH COW; $1.50 PER week. Milk route for sale, $40. ROBERT MARTIN, ¼ mile east Belmont school, Fresno. de23tf

FOR RENT—HOUSE OF 5 ROOMS; MONO st., near I; $10. L. A. SPENCER. d24tf*

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM, WITH OR without board, at 1421 J street. d23tf

FOR RENT—KUTNER HALL, FOR BALLS, parties and meetings. Apply to FRANK M. CHITTENDEN, 1125 J street. d22tf

FOR RENT—LARGE DOUBLE ROOM, WITH board if desired, at 1305 M street, corner of Fresno. d19tf2*

FOR RENT — PLEASANT SUNNY ROOM, furnished. 1031 I street d18tf*

FOR RENT—ROOMS, NICELY AND NEWLY furnished, 1142 North L street; half block from the park. n30m1

FOR RENT—BEST ROOMS IN TOWN, SINgle or en suite Grand View House, 2235 Mariposa st., cor. N, 1 block east of court house Miss G. F. SCOTT. n11tf

FOR RENT—CARPETS CLEANED BY STEAM beats a process; upholstering and general repairing. I. C. HARRON, 846 I street, opposite Kubler House. Telephone 15. se27tf

FOR RENT—TWO ROOMS SUITABLE FOR housekeeping; first floor; central location. Apply at 1041 J st. Jy12tf

FOR RENT—DESK ROOM, MOST CENTRAL location in town. Apply 1111 J st. le21tf

FOR RENT—ADVERTISING SPACE IN THE "want" columns of THE REPUBLICAN. It costs but little and is most productive of results. Everybody reads these columns.

FOR RENT—REAL ESTATE.

FOR RENT—120 ACRES OF GRAIN LAND; all fenced; house on premises. Address J. T. ZEIGLER, Box 1351, Fresno. d21tf

FOR RENT—40 ACRES; 20 IN MUSCAT vines 4 years old, and 20 acres in grain land. Address Box 3, Fresno. d18tf

FOR RENT—WELL IMPROVED 20 ACRE tract 5 miles from town. For information apply to E. HENDERSON, 1050 I street. d15tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

MRS. AUGUSTA W. NIELSEN, WIDWIFE. 825 O street. d10tf*

MRS. D. G. PHELPS, MIDWIFE, 809 M ST. se6 3t*

LOST.

LOST—WILL THE PARTY WHO LENTED opera glasses at the theater please return them to 1825 Fulton st., as they are known, and

FOUND.

FOUND—ON THE GRAND CENTAL CORner a square watch charm with black cloth setting; has a woman's picture inside. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying charges d9tf

ESTRAYED.

ESTRAYED—ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT, December 21, 1892, two small bay mares; one has a small white spot in forehead, the other has no marks; both shod. Strayed from our place at 1340 J street, Fresno. HIGGINS & KELHORN. d24tf

ESTRAYED—FINTO HORSE, BRANDED J on left shoulder; white face and white feet. Return to corner of M and Inyo streets. d21tf*

ESTRAYED—ON TUESDAY NIGHT, DECEMber 13th, a large roan horse, about 4 years old; had on halter and chain; unshod; also a yearling bay colt with white mark on forehead, from my place in Central colony, corner Walnut and Central avenues. DR. J. J. CONNOLLY. d18tf*

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN IN SUMS TO SUIT. T. W. PATTERTON, Room 3, over Farmers Bank. d21tf

MONEY TO LOAN—LOANS NEGOTIATED on farm or city property, at from 8 to 10 per cent; also fire and life insurance agents. A. P. GOVALT & SON, office 1915 Mariposa st., Herrington Building, Fresno, Cal. se30tf

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All kinds of passenger work promptly attended to, day or night. Fare 25c, or $1 per hour.

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Assessment Notice.

LA PASA RICA VINEYARD COMPANY—Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, California. Location of property, Fresno county, California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 23d day of December, A. D., 1892, an assessment of $20 (twenty dollars) per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately to the Secretary, W. F. Forsey, Fresno, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 25th day of January, 1893, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before will be sold on the 13th day of February, 1893, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising and expenses of sale.

Secretary of the La Pasa Rica Vineyard Company, Fresno, Cal. de25t4

ORDINANCE NO. 264.

An Ordinance Determining the Public Interest and Necessity for the Acquisition, Construction, and Completion of Additional Sewers, and the Completion of the Sewer System.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CITY of Fresno do ordain as follows:

Sec. 1. It is hereby determined and declared that the public interest and necessity demand the acquisition, construction, and completion in and for the City of Fresno of the following municipal improvements, to-wit: The acquisition, construction and completion of additional sewers and the completion of the sewer system of said city.

Sec. 2. It is hereby further determined and declared that the cost of said municipal improvement will be too great to be paid out of the ordinary usual income and revenue of said city.

Sec. 3. And it is hereby declared that it is the intention of this Board, in accordance with Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An act authorizing the incurring of indebtedness by cities, towns and municipal corporations, incorporated under the laws of this state, for the construction of water works, sewers, and all necessary public improvements or for any purpose whatever, and to repeal the Act approved March 9, 1885," entitled "An act to authorize municipal corporations of the fifth class, containing more than three thousand and less than ten thousand inhabitants, to obtain water works; also to repeal an act approved March 16, 1887, entitled "An act authorizing the incurring of indebtedness by cities, towns and municipal corporations, incorporated under the laws of this state (approved March 19, 1889), after publication hereof as required by said act, fourteen days in the daily Republican, a newspaper published in said city, or as soon as a said newspaper is published, at the next regular meeting of the board, after said publication, or after an adjourned meeting thereof, to submit to the qualified voters of said city the proposition of incurring a debt for the purposes set forth in such ordinance and as above stated.

Sec. 4. It is hereby declared that plans and estimates of the cost of said municipal improvements, above named were made and reported to this board, at the regular meeting on the 3d day of October, 1892, by J. B. Eller, a competent engineer, who has had experience in such work.

Sec. 5. An ordinance entitled "An ordinance determining the public interests and necessities for the acquisition, construction and completion of additional sewers and the completion of the sewer system," passed by the Board of Trustees of the city of Fresno, on the 3d day of October, 1892, and approved by the President of said Board on the same day, is hereby repealed.

Sec. 6. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval as provided by said act (approved March 19, 1889).

Passed this 19th day of December, 1892, by the following votes:

Ayes—Trustees Church, Herrington, Fahey, Aldo and Cole.

Noes—None.

Approved this 19th day of December, 1892.

City Seal S. H. COLE,
President of the Board of Trustees of the City of Fresno.

Attest: W. E. FENSKE, City Clerk. d23t1

Assessment Notice.

THE PRODUCERS' RAISIN PACKING COMpany of Fresno, location of principal place of business, Fresno City, Fresno county, state of California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 1st day of December, 1892, an assessment (No. 2) of $10 per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately, in United States gold coin, to the secretary at the office of the company, corner of "K" and San Diego streets, in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California. d23

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on Saturday, the 7th day of January, A.D. 1893, will be delinquent, and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before will be sold Friday, the 27th day of January, A.D. 1893, at the hour of 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the office of the company, corner "K" and San Diego streets in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, State of California, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

By order of the Board of Directors.

[SEAL] W. F. FORSBY,
Secretary of the Producers' Raisin Packing Company of Fresno.

Fresno City, Fresno County, State of California, December 1st, 1892. d23td

Sealed Proposals.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of Trustees of the Caruthers School District, up to 4 o'clock p.m. of the 5th day of January, 1893, for the purpose of constructing a school building according to the plans and specifications now to be found at the residence of the town of Caruthers, in the county of Fresno; a check for $50 to accompany each bid. A bond will be required for the faithful performance of the work.

The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board of Trustees of the Caruthers School District,

P. A. KANAWYER,
J. J. THUMAN.
A. B. TROUTWEIN.

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Stockholders' Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN ANnual meeting of the stockholders of the Fresno Water Company will be held at the office of the company, in the Einstein building, on Wednesday, the 11 h day of January, 1893, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the coming year, and for the transaction of any business that may properly come before the meeting.

JOHN J. SEYMOUR, President.
Attest: J. M. COLLIER, Secretary. d21t20

Delinquent Notice.

LA FAVORITA RAISIN VINEYARD COMpany—Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, California. Location of property, Fresno county, California.

Notice—There are delinquent upon the following described stock on account of assessment levied on the tenth day of November, 1892, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Name	Per Cent.	No. Shares	Amt
N. J. Bird, Trustee	11	5	$100
N. J. Bird	12	5	100
N. J. Bird	13	5	100
N. J. Bird	14	5	100
N. J. Bird	57	5	100
N. J. Bird	58	5	100
Samuel R. Martin	55	5	100
T. J. Hay	58	20	800
Lucien A. Murray	62	10	200
J. C. Higgins	69	5	100
S. M. Haspel	71	10	200
Edith Zweybruck	73	5	100
Agnes Zweybruck	75	1	20
Fred B. Zweybruck	75	5	100

And in accordance with law, and an order of the board of directors, made on the seventh day of November, 1892, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company, No. 119 Bush street, room 2, San Francisco, California, on Tuesday, the 7th day of January, 1893, at the hour of 1 o'clock p.m. of said day, to pay delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

W. W. BOUGHTON, Secretary.
Office, No. 119 Bush street, room 2, San Francisco, California. d15 n28

Assessment Notice.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIrectors of the Red Rio Ray Raisin and Fig Company, held this 19th day of December, 1892, an assessment of five dollars per share was levied upon the capital stock of the company. Said assessment to be payable at the company's office, 960 Ninth street. On demand to the secretary, DeWitt C. Gray, on or before the 15th day of January, 1893, and delinquent on January 20th, 1893.

Date of sale of delinquent stock fixed for February 7th, 1893.

d22td DEWITT C. GRAY, Secretary.